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PADUCAH, KY., THURSDAY, DECEMBER 15, 1904.

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BATTERED WALLS AND DESERTED STREETS

Japs Frown Down On Port Arthur From 203-Meter Hill.

Bird's Eye View of Port Arthur.

Fusan, Dec. 15.—Every part of the city and harbor of Port Arthur is visible from 203 Metre hill. The streets of the city are deserted, and but few soldiers are doing patrol duty. Many buildings have been burned, and others shattered. The shells of the harbor present a strange appearance, with turrets, masts and funnels of warships showing just above the water. There is not a vessel afloat in the harbor. Docks and buildings of water front are torn and burned. Japanese shells reach every part of the city and harbor.

Sebastopol Not Sunk.

Tokio, Dec. 15.—A telegram from Port Arthur announces definitely that the Russian battleship Sebastopol is damaged, but still afloat.

The Sebastopol Sheltered.

Fusan, Dec. 15.—The Russian battleship Sebastopol, the only warship that escaped destruction by being docked when the other vessels

A BAD NIGHT

CHIEF JUSTICE

WILLIAM FLOURNOY STUNNED BY RUNAWAY HORSE.

Laid Out All Night Unconscious in the Cold—Will Recover.

Mr. William Flournoy, who resides about four miles out on the Hinkleville road, had an experience last night which few men could have gone through, and lived.

He was riding home in his buggy when his horse ran away and threw him out. This happened within a short distance of his house about 11 o'clock last night, and he was not found until this morning about 5 o'clock when a neighbor discovered him walking about in a half stunned condition.

He had been thrown out of the buggy and his left shoulder dislocated, his face badly cut and bruised, and his right knee cut, besides many bruises being about the body. The fall stunned him and he did not recover until early this morning. He laid out all night with the temperature below freezing point and the physicians say this escape was miraculous.

Drs. Reddick and Sory were summoned this morning and left the patient doing well. He is a brother to Mr. Jim Flournoy, the I. C. policeman, and a brother-in-law to Officer William Rogers, of the city.

NO ONE KILLED.

Six Hurt in Burlington, Wreck. Near Bristol, Ill.

Bristol, Ill., Dec. 15.—A Burlington fast mail train left the tracks here this morning and two cars were badly wrecked.

The conductor, brakeman and four mail clerks were injured. The train was traveling sixty miles an hour when it struck a defective rail.

Dodging work keeps many a fellow busy.

TODAY'S MARKETS

Wheat	Open.	Closed.
May	1.09 1/2	1.10 1/2
July	.98 1/2	.98 1/2
Corn		
May	.44 1/2	.45
Oats		
May	.30 1/2	.31 1/2
Pork		
Jan.	12.40	12.55
Cotton		
Jan.	7.71	7.61
Mar.	7.89	7.78
May	8.01	7.89
Stocks		
I. C.	1.52 1/2	1.52 1/2
L. & N.	1.37	1.38 1/2
Copper	.64	.64 1/2

Want Farnbaker.

Speaking of Mr. M. J. Farnbaker for re-election to the office of secretary of the K. I. T. league the Vincennes Capital says:

"Mr. Farnbaker is certain to receive the Vincennes vote, and should receive every one in the league. A better man than he cannot be secured in many a day."

Died of Consumption.

Mrs. Vie Roark, aged 38, died last night from consumption at Symsonia, Graves county, leaving a husband. The burial took place today at Fancy Farm.

MRS. CHADWICK IS SATISFIED IN JAIL

Declines an Offer to Have Her Bond Signed.

Declares She Will Pay All Money Back, and Says Her Husband Has Plenty of Money.

DR. CHADWICK COMING BACK.

Washington, Dec. 15.—The Japanese legation received a dispatch from Tokio saying that the bombardment on the 13th was principally aimed at the arsenal and torpedo depot at Tiger Tail and at steamboats in its vicinity. The torpedo depot was ablaze in one hour. Three ships were destroyed and one sunk, besides the buildings were greatly damaged. Total casualties were only three men wounded.

Not As Bad As Reported.

Mukden, Dec. 15.—Late dispatches from Port Arthur, by way of Chefoo, declare the situation there is by no means as desperate as it is represented by dispatches. The line of the man defense of forts is unbroken and there is plenty of ammunition and food.

She ridiculed the report that Dr. Chadwick had cabled friends for funds and declared "he is plentifully supplied with money." She also assured her friends that she would "show them and the whole world that I am an honest woman, that I have never wrongfully obtained money from any one and that I will repay every dollar of my indebtedness."

Jeered and Hooted.

Cleveland, O., Dec. 15.—Reclining on a couch in a corridor of the Cuyahoga county jail and looking the picture of content, Mrs. Chadwick said she decided not to seek bail because while in jail she would be free from the annoyance of curious people. She said she received a letter from one of the wealthiest men in the country offering to sign her bond for any amount. She refused the offer, however.

Past Baseball Season.

New York, Dec. 15.—Harry C. Pulliam was unanimously re-elected president, secretary and treasurer of the National league of professional baseball clubs at the annual meeting.

Reports showed the season of 1904 was the most successful financially in history.

The total amount of paid admissions was \$1,932,682.

Refuses \$100,000 Bequest.

Appleton, Wis., Dec. 15.—Lawrence University will renounce all claims to the gift of the said \$100,000 provided in the will of William W. Cooper, who lost his life in the Iroquois theater fire in Chicago.

No reason is given by the university trustees for their waiving the claim, but it is conjectured that Cooper's attendance at a theater, which is under the ban of the church, is the reason.

Dr. Chadwick to Return.

Paris, Dec. 15.—Dr. Chadwick, husband of the Cleveland wizard of finance is here, but says he will return to America. He says he has no fear of being implicated in his wife's transactions.

MUST HANG

SAYS COURT AT MEMPHIS IN WILLIAM LIGHTFOOT CASE.

The Date Was Yesterday Fixed by Judge Moss For February 3rd.

The motion for a new trial in the case against William Lightfoot, colored, of Paducah, charged with the murder of Roy Sloan, white, at Woodstock, Tenn., last January, was overruled in the criminal court at Memphis yesterday afternoon by Judge Moss. Lightfoot was sentenced to hang February 3rd. It is the second time Lightfoot has been sentenced to hang for this offense, the other time being set for last April.

Yesterday, before the court would consent to pass on the motion, Attorney Berry had to eliminate all the language in Lightfoot's affidavit that the court objected to, and to further make an apology.

The action of the court was not unexpected, and Attorney Berry will now take an appeal as he did before. It is believed here that Lightfoot will get another new trial.

Early Graduation.

Annapolis, Dec. 15.—The first class of midshipmen will graduate full terms earlier this year than the regular course allows on account of the urgent need for officers to take charge of the new vessels of the navy. The ceremonies will take place January 30.

IN EVANSVILLE.

Dispatcher Jorgenson Is Working Temporarily Now.

Mr. Allan Jorgenson, the dispatcher, went to Evansville today at noon to work temporarily on the Evansville district of the I. C. A dispatcher resigned and Mr. Jorgenson will work until a successor is appointed. It is said that Mr. Jorgenson will be prevailed upon to remain in Evansville, but this report cannot be corroborated.

Jap Boat Missing.

London, Dec. 15.—Baron Hayashi has received the following telegram from Tokio: "One of our torpedo boats is still missing. The rest returned from the attack on Sebastopol in safety. The Sebastopol's bow is under water."

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SHE DROPPED DEAD FROM STAGE FRIGHT

Declines an Offer to Have Her Bond Signed.

Peculiar Fate of a Child in Brooklyn, N. Y.

The Past Season in Baseball Successful—H. C. Pulliam Was Re-elected President.

UNIVERSITY REJECTS \$100,000

REPORTED THAT THE STANDARD OIL COMPANY IS ABOUT TO PROSECUTE HIM FOR HIS ACTS.

VIOLATED THE PENAL CODE

SOME OTHER SCHOOL NOTES

CHARLESTON, W. Va., Dec. 15.—The suspension bridge over Elk river collapsed this morning when crowded with school children, and all were thrown into the ice sixty feet below.

Two young girls were drowned and others were rescued with difficulty.

LOCKED CASHIER IN VAULT.

Hibbing, Minn., Dec. 15.—A lone highwayman held up the bank of Chisholm during business hours, and secured \$2,200. He forced Cashier Greisen into a vault at the muzzle of a revolver and locked the door. The robber escaped.

Richard Harding Davis' Father.

Philadelphia, Dec. 15.—L. Clark Davis, editor of the Public Ledger, is dead, aged 70. Richard Harding Davis, the war correspondent, novelist and magazine writer, is one of his sons.

A Modern William Tell.

Lincoln, Neb., Dec. 15.—In an effort to imitate the feat of William Tell, Ernest Linn, 16 years of age, shot off the top of the head of Sylvan Belotok, aged 9. The target was a tin can on the child's head.

Today finds the mystery of what became of Charles Rudolph Mason still unsolved. He has been missing a month.

SOME CHANGES

ILLINOIS CENTRAL HAS MADE SEVERAL WITHIN PAST FEW DAYS.

PROMOTIONS IN FREIGHT DEPARTMENT AT JACKSON, TENN.—CHANGES IN OTHER PLACES.

THE TEACHERS AND PUPILS IN THE SCHOOLS ARE TAKING A GREAT INTEREST IN ATHLETICS AND BASKET BALL TEAMS HAVE BEEN ORGANIZED IN EVERY CLASS.

THE PRESENT MANAGEMENT OF THE SCHOOLS HAS DONE MUCH IN THE WAY OF IMPROVEMENT AND WILL NOT STOP UNTIL THE SCHOOLS ARE MADE EQUAL TO THE BEST PUBLIC SCHOOLS IN THE COUNTRY.

THE LABORATORY AT THE HIGH SCHOOL IS COMPLETE IN FIXTURES EXCEPT THE INSTALLATION OF GAS, AND WHEN THIS IS DONE IT WILL BE OPEN FOR INSPECTION.

IT IS OF COURSE SMALL, BUT AS COMPLETE AS IS POSSIBLE TO MAKE ONE OF ITS SIZE.

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THE TEACHERS AND PUPILS IN THE SCHOOLS ARE TAKING

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YOU Suits at
\$22.50
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When you get one of m
Suits you get a garment
made for you, not made to
fit a score of men; one that
will always fit you, holds
shape and reveal superior
workmanship till it is in
shreds. That will be a long
time.

Come let me show you
the remarkably big and va-
ried lines of suitings I am
carrying.

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For Christmas Presents in
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Go to the old reliable, Klein's
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cigars, our own make. Also the
old reliable makes in clear Ha-
vana, the American, El Sympa-
ny and Imported Cigars.

Will positively sell cheaper
than anyone else.

Klein's Cigar Store

MR. L. P. HEAD

WANTS TO GO TO THE LEGISLA-
TURE FROM McCRAKEN.

Is a Well Known Printer and Is Al-
ready Getting Much En-
couragement.

Louis P. Head, the well known
printer and for several years a resi-
dent of Paducah, will make the race
for representative from McCracken
county to succeed Captain W. C.
Clark in the legislature, if he gets
the Democratic nomination March
30. Mr. Head has not formally an-
nounced, but his friends say he has
received much encouragement and
that he will make the race.

The Murray Neighborhood Notes
of yesterday says:

"Louis P. Head, a personal friend
of the writer, and president of Pa-
ducah Typographic Union, is being
urged to make the race for the Dem-
ocratic nomination for representa-
tive from McCracken county. Mr
Head is well qualified for the place
and the laboring men of Paducah
and McCracken county and the state at
large would have an earnest
champion of their interest were they
to elect Louis Head to the legislature."

OH, JOY!

Here is a Town Without a Board of
Councilmen.

Morganfield, Ky., Dec. 15.—The
municipal affairs of Untontown are
in somewhat of a muddled condition.
Mayor Teare declares the city is
without a council and calls on all
good citizens and taxpayers to meet
and advise him what to do.

The trouble began at the last election
when a town council should have been
elected. The election was held
but the returns were in such shape
that the election commissioners could
not certify as to who had been elect-

ed. Litigation followed and not until
Gov. Beckham appointed a coun-
cil was it settled.

It is now contended that a new
council should have been elected at
the November election this year, but
such was not done. The proclamation
by Mayor Teare, declaring the
city to be without a council, is the
result.

MARY THIS EVENING.

Mr. Harry Williams and Miss Car-
rie Stephens will be married this ev-
ening at 8 o'clock at the Baptist
parsonage on North Fifth, Rev. G.
W. Perryman, officiating. The bride
is the daughter of Mr. Will Stephens,
of near Kevil, and the young man is
a popular young tinner at G. R. Da-
vis'. They will reside on South Third
street.

"I was much afflicted with sciatica," writes Ed C. Nud, Iawaville,
Sedgewick Co., Kan., "going about
on crutches and suffering a deal of
pain. I was induced to try Ballard's
Snow Liniment, which relieved me.
I used three 50c bottles. It is the
greatest liniment I ever used; have
recommended it to a number of persons;
all express themselves as being
benefited by it. I now walk
without crutches, able to perform a
great deal of light labor on the
farm." 50c, 25c and \$1.00. Sold
by Dubois, Kolb & Co.

Many Woodmen Out.

A large meeting of Woodmen of
the World was held last evening at
Red Men's hall and thirty-one candi-
dates were initiated. All the can-
didates were not present and there
will be another session tonight, fol-
lowed by a dance and luncheon.
State Manager J. H. Brewer will to-
night award the prizes to the suc-
cessful lodge in the membership con-
test.

Will Not Accept.

Rev. E. E. Hendrick, a Cumber-
land Presbyterian minister well
known in Paducah, has declined a
call to Union City, Tenn., and goes
to Chicago to take a three months'
Bible course. Rev. Hendrick held a
revival in Paducah last month.

REV. JOHN LEWIS

WELL-KNOWN METHODIST MIN-
ISTER PRESIDING ELDER.

Has Served Several Churches in Ken-
tucky as Pastor and Held Meet-
ing Here.

The Rev. John W. Lewis, D. D.,
formerly presiding elder of the Lou-
isville district of the M. E. church,
south, has been made presiding elder
of the Nashville district of the
Tennessee conference. He has for
the past year been the presiding el-
der of the Jackson (Miss.) district.

He is widely known throughout
Kentucky, having earlier in his ca-
reer as a minister been pastor of
Hopkinsville, Bowling Green, and
Henderson. In 1901 he transferred to
the Mississippi conference.

Dr. Lewis is known in Paducah to
many people. He once held a revival in
the Broadway Methodist church
when it was across from its present
site. He is one of the most able and
scholarly men in the Southern Meth-
odist church, and has several times
received votes for bishop.

Jail Repaired.

The committee of fiscal court has
had the jail windows repaired. They
were broken out by the heat of the
storehouse fire recently, and for sev-
eral days no new glass was put in,
the prisoners suffering considerably
from cold. Finally such a fuss was
raised that the county judge and
members of fiscal court had the work
done. It is not known what will be
done about rebuilding the store-
house.

HEADACHES FROM COLDS.

Laxative Bromo Quinine removes the cause.
To get the genuine call for the full name and
book for signature of E. W. GROVE. 25c

Removal.

J. Victor Voris, the dentist, has
moved to the Fraternity building,
rooms 200-202. Old Phone 778-F.



Let us take the Christmas problem off your mind. There are
only two weeks of buying left and they promise to be strenuous,
but if you will come here we will aid you to make your selec-
tions for every member of the family, friends and sweetheart,
with ease to mind and purse.

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when she meets her old friends.

NEW BRIDGE

OVER TENNESSEE WILL NOT BE
FINISHED BY FIRST OF YEAR.

Estimated That Completion Will Be
Two Months Later Than
Expected.

The expectations of the I. C. offi-
cials regarding the completion of the
Tennessee river bridge at Gilberts-
ville will fall short, the bridge will
not be completed for several weeks
after the first of the year.

It was expected to finish the pier
work by January 1st, but the work
is only half complete.

Two piers on the north side of
the river have been completed and
the iron work is now being put
up. The No. 6 pier, the draw
pier, is finished and also one on the
south side of the river. Nos. 5 and 7
are above high water mark and 3
and 4 are near completion.

It is now estimated by railroad
men that it will require until June
at the closest to finish the work and
run trains over the bridge. The main
line leading from Gravel Switch to
the bridge approach has been com-
pleted and is being used as a passing
track. This cuts out several curves
and shortens time on the division.

The work of completing the
bridge will probably go two months
over the limit first set by the I. C.
officials.

The wrecker was sent out this
morning at 8 o'clock to Grand Rivers
and Princeton to pick up timber
and replace a derailed caboose at
the latter city.

Holiday Opening,
December 15th
DuBois, Kolb & Co.

THE HESSIG DISTILLERY

DEATH TO ADULTERATION

Dairy and Food Commissioner Warren while in Philadelphia, gave confirmation, says the Republic special: "No wonder our asylums are full when people drink such deadly poisons habitually. New York city papers say over twenty people died from drinking that kind of wood alcohol. Varieties of coal tar products and coloring ingredients in liquor to deceive the public and cheapen whisky products. This is what agents collecting samples from commission houses contained.

WHY BUY THIS KIND when you can buy straight whiskey from U. S. bonded warehouses, which is a guarantee of its being pure, as the Government will not stamp any whisky from a Bonded Warehouse unless it is pure and from a distillery. COME AND SEE OUR DISTILLERY ON THE BEN-
TON ROAD, corner Mill and Bridge street, City of Paducah. Open to all. We own our own distillery, which is also a guarantee of Pure Whisky, as Government officials are always on hand in a distillery. Therefore SEND US YOUR ORDERS and get the PURE STUFF.

PRICES:

Clark's River Whiskey, our own make 6 Months Old.	\$2.00 a gal
Hessig's Corn Whiskey, 6 Months Old.	2.00 "
Robertson Co., 4 yrs Old, double stamp.	2.00 "
Kentucky Belle, 4 "	2.00 "
King Rex, 6 "	2.50 "
Old Hessig, 8 "	3.00 "
Old Woodford Rye, 8 "	3.00 "

Count's Special, 10 years old.....	\$4.00 gal
" Private Stock, 14 "	6.00 "
Old Taylor, bottled in bond, 1 quart.	1.15
Mellwood, bottled in bond, 1 Quart.	1.00
Old Charter, bottled in bond, 1 Quart.	1.00
Lancaster, bottled in bond, 1 Quart.	1.15
Yellowstone, bottled in bond, 1 Quart.	1.15
Old Water Mill, bottled in bond, 1 Quart.....	1.00

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JOHN W. COUNTS, Manager
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Just a Bunch of Stage Gossip Between Acts in "Sergeant Kitty"—At The Kentucky Friday Night.

Theatrical Notes

Nat M. Wills last night played "A Son of Rest" to a large audience at The Kentucky. Mr. Wills was in Paducah last season for the first time, and he made such an impression that his return was marked by one of the largest audiences of the season. "A Son of Rest" is as entertaining as could be imagined, with good music, pretty maidens, splendid stage effects and a number of specialties interwoven that would do credit to any show. Many do not like "A Son of Rest" as well as last year, because it seems to have become monotonous to Mr. Wills, who, despite the excellent company he carries, is himself most of the show. There are some new songs, and two by Mr. Wills brought forth repeated encores. Mr. Wills will have something new next season, and he will doubt come to Paducah. He will find a hearty welcome when he does.

The audience was so vociferous last night in a curtain call after the first act that Mr. Wills had to come out and make a little talk. He told a story—but it was too old, unfortunately to repeat. He must have heard it in Henderson.

The comic opera "Sergeant Kitty" will be seen at The Kentucky on Friday night. This announcement means a great deal to those who thoroughly enjoy good music and like to be amused for three hours by funmakers whose methods are refined and who are really funny. Love, the comic side of French army life, and the natural complications that arise, form the basis of the entertainment. In the title role is Miss Helen Byron who is winsome, pretty and petite. Charles Wayne is the principal funmaker ably assisted by Sylvain Langlois and Tom Hadaway. Miss Virginia Palmer, Miss Edith Blair, the prima donna, Miss Linda Seville, Miss Clara Sterling, Miss Myrtle Lorimer, Wheeler Earl, Frederick Knights and many others.

SLOW WORK

Is the Organization of the New State Federation of Labor.

The work of reorganizing the State Federation of Labor begun Tuesday at Louisville, has not progressed very rapidly, and has not yet been accomplished. John D. Wood, of Central City, is mentioned as the permanent chairman. He has been temporary chairman. The meeting was to have been finished yesterday, but will last through today.

JOINS A SHOW.

Prof. Elmore, the Third street entertainer, and who is well known here, has accepted a position as "spider" for the Sunny South minstrels. The Sunny South Co. is composed of 60 people and is considered a first-class company. He will join the troupe in a few days at Jackson, Tenn.—Metropolis Herald.

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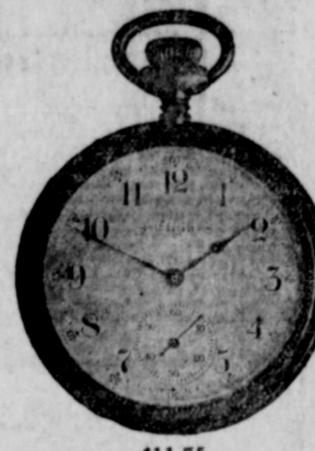
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No. 602



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Gold Filled Hunting Case
Guaranteed 20 years
Elgin Movement, Finely Jeweled
No. 602

WANT HEAT.

Effort to Be Made to Get I. C. Depot
Properly Heated.

When Mr. H. U. Wallace, chief engineer of the I. C. comes to Paducah again, he will be personally solicited regarding the heating service at the local passenger depot and it is believed he will take the matter up and arrange for relief.

Several weeks ago it was announced that the company would install a boiler at the depot and furnish steam heat for the depot, the coaches which are side tracked at the depot until made up into trains, and also the air plant to clean cars. Since this action was announced several plans have been furnished and sent to Chicago, but no action taken. The depot was cold this morning and has been since the real cold weather set in. The heating plant is inadequate and has been since installed.

"If the railroad company does not do something with this heating plant," a traveling man declared this morning, "it will have a damage suit on its hands." I saw a poor woman waiting here last week. She had been ill, so could readily be seen, and was

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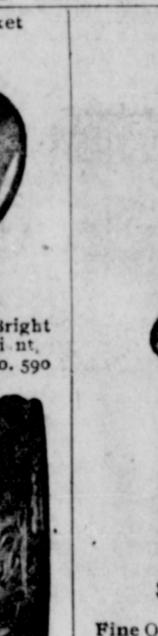
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There Was a Small Blaze There Yesterday.

Fire at Brookport yesterday destroyed the residence and contents of J. L. Williams, across the street from and west of the school house.

As the family was absent from home and the flames had gained uncontrollable headway before discovery, it is not known how the fire originated. The loss will not be heavy as the building and contents were partially covered by insurance. The property of Gus DeGilliet was also badly damaged, but the household goods were removed without serious injury.

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Nov. 1... 2,891	Nov. 16... 2,890
Nov. 2... 2,899	Nov. 17... 2,890
Nov. 3... 2,900	Nov. 18... 2,887
Nov. 4... 2,903	Nov. 19... 2,885
Nov. 5... 2,892	Nov. 21... 2,877
Nov. 7... 2,882	Nov. 22... 2,862
Nov. 8... 2,878	Nov. 23... 2,857
Nov. 9... 2,889	Nov. 24... 2,855
Nov. 10... 2,893	Nov. 25... 2,867
Nov. 11... 2,912	Nov. 26... 2,859
Nov. 12... 2,906	Nov. 28... 2,858
Nov. 14... 2,896	Nov. 29... 2,866
Nov. 15... 2,884	Nov. 30... 2,866

Total..... 74,949

Average for the month..... 2,882

Personally appeared before me this day E. J. Paxton, general manager of The Sun, who affirms that the above statement of the circulation of The Sun for the month of November, 1904, is true to the best of his knowledge and belief.

PETER PURYEAR,
Notary Public.

My commission expires Jan. 22, 1908.

Daily Thought.

He most loves,
Who thinks most, feels the nobles,
acts the best.

—Bailey.

The Weather.

Fair and colder tonight. Friday rain with rising temperature.

CONSISTENT ?WHY, ALWAYS.

If a newspaper cannot handle public questions intelligently and consistently it should not attempt to handle them at all. The News-Democrat last week was in favor of paying the school teachers for the Christmas holidays, no matter what the result.

Yesterday it came out flat-footed against paying them a cent unless they earned it.

Here is what the News-Democrat said only last Friday:

"By all means the public school teachers should have their salaries in full for December, holidays or no holidays. The glad Christmas is no time for punishing or abridging the opportunities for pleasure of any of the Lord's children. Any attempted technical construction of the law in such cases makes people of Paducah tired."

Yesterday it came out with just the opposite, as follows:

"The movement to give away nearly \$1,000 of the people's money has hit a large and beautifully illustrated snag. It is not known where this neat little scheme originated. Perhaps it was incubated in the brain of some men on the school board who have relatives employed as teachers. But teachers are paid with checks out of the people's money. * * *

The school board of Paducah represents the tax-payers and the children. It has no right to appropriate money except for services rendered or supplies purchased. Beyond all question it has no right to appropriate nearly \$1,000 as a Christmas gift to the teachers. * * *

We think the president of the board has taken the right stand and believe that the board ought to uphold him, no matter what it may have perfunctorily done heretofore.

Let Justice and right prevail. Give the teachers what they have earned in advance of the holidays, let the taxpayers keep the thousand dollars in the bank and give the children the full 100 days of school which the teachers signed a contract to teach."

Now if that isn't a flop that would jar the rings around Saturn, what is it?

WORK FOR ALL TO DO.

Paducah should get to work, as Cairo, Henderson, Owensboro, Louisville and many other cities are constantly doing. Some one should arouse a little interest in building up the town.

Down at Cairo the merchants and

other public spirited citizens are thoroughly awake—and Cairo is our nearest rival and competitor. The other night a big public meeting was held there and committees appointed to boost the town.

Various public improvements and other matters were referred to various committees, and the committees are expected to work.

Paducah needs something of the kind. Eternal vigilance is the price of progress, as well as of other things. The public spirited citizens of Paducah should develop a little energy.

"Greater Cairo" is the motto down there now, and no matter how far they fall short of their hopes, expectations and ambitions, living up to their motto to the best of their ability is not going to hurt the town any. It will help it.

At the Cairo mass meeting committees, with duly credited chairmen, were appointed for securing or promoting the following:

Civic harmony.
Clean and better streets.
Good city laws.
Insurance.
Railroad rates.

And there were other things. A mere glance will suffice to convince any one in Paducah that a little work along the above lines here would be of inestimable benefit. If Paducah goes forward somebody must push. A city can no more progress without the aid of energy and intelligence than a locomotive can run without steam.

We need a little steam here.

Every merchant realizes it, and every merchant knows that for the town to grow and improve will mean for his business to grow and improve. Why not try it?

After the Christmas rush, which is keeping most of our enterprising men busy, why not start in to do something for the city? Why not have a "Greater Paducah"?

Why not get a good start by New Year and not allow interest to lag during the entire year?

The Globe-Democrat does not feel that Kentucky is past redemption. In commenting on the Power's reversal, it says:

"There must be an awakening in Kentucky, as there has been in Missouri. No court would go to such lengths if it did not feel the response in popular revulsion of feeling. The language of the court should be published throughout the length and breadth of our country to show what things have been done in the name of justice, without so much as general condemnation, and to prove that finally the protest has been heard.

In Missouri this decision is a fitting commentary upon an election system and a police law that promised to put us upon the Kentucky basis, but that were fortunately laid low by popular will before even graver mischance than the stealing of offices had been done."

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To Sell Stock.

F. G. Rudolph, assignee, has filed a suit against T. K. Harper and others, to sell the stock of Harper. Harper was formerly in the wall paper business here but made an assignment to Mr. Rudolph.

Sues for Divorce.

Arthur Goebel, it is announced in the dispatches, "will go into the prosecution of Caleb Powers with renewed energy." To be sure. He wouldn't be a Goebel if he didn't keep up such work. The prosecution's supply of perjury, however, is said to be running somewhat low.

Police Court.

The star case in Judge L. D. Sanders' tribunal this morning was that against G. E. Cox and G. Jeffries, two blacksmiths, who got drunk several nights ago and after both being cut, created disturbance at the I. C. depot. Cox was cut in the cheek, he claims by a negro woman. He and his companion later went to the depot to leave town and while there began quarreling and finally Cox cut Jeffries in the hand, it is alleged. They were arrested by Detective Dineen, of the I. C. and brought to the city hall. A fine of \$10 and costs was assessed against the defendants for being drunk and disorderly at the depot.

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Marshall County Negro Will Spend Two Years in Jail.

The Verdict Says "At Hard Labor"—Today's Police Court Docket.

The Deceased Was His Son and Hanged Himself in I. C. Hospital a Year Ago.

NEWS OF THE OTHER COURTS

Circuit Court.

Clarence Birtle, alias Burdell, the Marshall county negro who last summer attempted to stop Miss Venie Schoening, of the Tyler neighborhood, a young girl of about 14 years of age, was found guilty this morning and given one of the most peculiar sentences recorded in McCracken circuit court in many terms.

The verdict of the jury is that the defendant shall be confined in the county jail for a period of one year at hard labor to be worked at the rate of \$1 a day and in addition to the jail sentence that he be fined \$200. This means that Birtle in addition to the one year term will have to serve two hundred days longer unless he can make up the fine it is not known how he will be worked as no provision has ever been made in this county to work jail

prisoners.

Birtle was returned from Clark's River, he claimed, after loading a load of logs, and was coming to town. He stepped in front of the girl as she was going to a small creek after water and her screams brought help and frightened Birtle away.

Monroe Mitchell, colored, who broke into the Rex Manufacturing Co. in Mechanicsburg and attempted to steal picture frames, was found guilty of house breaking and given one year in the penitentiary.

Mandy McGee, colored, who ran a game in her house, was fined \$200 for her enterprise.

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NEWS OF
THE RIVERS.

The Lyda left last evening for the Tennessee river.

The Clyde leaves this evening for the Tennessee river at 5 o'clock, in her old trade. Yesterday was her regular day for leaving, but she did not get away.

The Tennessee is due from the Tennessee river today.

During the long, dry spell and season of low water all the regular packets in the various trades have been put in repair and are in fine condition for business. Their return will be hailed with pleasure, as their services have been needed for some time by the traveling public and shippers generally. It will not be many days before the boats will be running and the river business be generally revived.

The machinists' union appointed an administrator who took charge of Maze's watch and prayer books, and sent the effects to the father, but each time they were returned, the address proving incorrect. The father in some way heard of his son's death, but did not know how much money and what effects the son had, and wrote to Captain Henry Bailey, thinking he was on the police force, to ascertain.

The facts of the case were turned over to Officer T. J. Moore, who was acting captain last night, and an answer to the letter written. The administrator now has the correct address and will forward the watch and other effects at once, which will make the fourth time.

Maze lived in Ireland and had been away from home only a short time.

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—Have you seen it—The Clarke Spoolholder? 10¢ at Rudy, Phillips & Co., L. B. Ogilvie & Co., and The Racket store.

—Miss Gussie Smith, stenographer and notary public, 118 South Fourth street.

—Attorney G. C. Duiguid has gone to Clinton, Ky., to attend court.

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—Call Palmer Transfer Co. for carriages, baggage wagons and first-class livery rigs. Hack fares and trunks strictly cash. Best service in the city.

—The Methodist Bazaar opens Thursday at 5 p. m., at 128 North Fifth street. Dinner and supper will be served throughout the week.

—A pair of gold spectacles for mother's Christmas present—Wolf's 327 Broadway.

—It is useful, ornamental and cheap—Clarke's Spoolholder, 10¢, at Rudy, Phillips & Co., L. B. Ogilvie & Co., and The Racket store.

—Gold eyeglasses for father's Christmas gift—Wolf's, 327 Broadway.

—J. C. Belt, who fell from an I. C. handcar near Cecilia, was yesterday at Eddyville awarded \$300 damages.

—Subscribers will favor us if they will report any delays or failures in the delivery of their papers. Kindly 'Phone 358 every time you miss your paper.

—See the nice Christmas presents of stag horn sets; they are the very latest, at R. D. Clements & Co.

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—The Paducah Real Estate Investment company last night elected the following directors: E. W. Whittemore, W. M. Reed, F. J. McElveen, James Weille and Wm. Marble.

—See those beautiful Indian Clothes Hampers at Scott Hardware Co.

—Messrs. Harry Somerville and L. T. Tyree have returned from a hunting trip to Arkansas. The others, John Breckinridge, F. E. Cartwright, William Short and W. M. Wilson will return next Tuesday.

—The loss on the home of Mr. Hilliard Futrell, of the county, on his home burned several days ago, has been adjusted at \$430.

—Blank Cartridge Pistols.

SCOTT HARDWARE CO.

—The funeral of the late Mrs. Margaret Lambdin took place this afternoon, complimentary to Miss Virginia Kinney, of New York, the guest of Miss Faith Langstaff.

—Mr. Fred Kreutzer has bought back the bakery he formerly ran, and some time ago sold to the Biederman Grocery company, and which was recently badly damaged by fire. Mr. Kreutzer had been manager of it under the Biederman ownership, and is preparing to reopen it with increased facilities. Mr. Biederman will continue to furnish the bread from this bakery to customers.

Miss Mattie Lou McGlathery has returned from a visit in Dyer and Jackson, Tenn.

PICTURE FRAMING.

Most everybody that wants their pictures framed nice and neat leaves their orders at the Paducah Book and Music Store. Put your order in, won't you? before it is too late. 428 B'way.

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Two Paducahans Are On the Program—Convention Meets January 7th and 8th.

ORDER IS GROWING RAPIDLY.

KY GIDEONS 4 Deck The second annual convention of the Gideons, of which there are several Paducahans members, will be held in Hopkinsville January 7th and 8th. It will be the second annual convention, the first having been held in Paducah January of this year.

The Gideons are an organization of Christian commercial traveling men. Founded four years ago at Janesville, Wis., by J. H. Nicholson, the first camp having only a few members, the band has had a wonderful growth and there are now 5,000 Gideons in America.

Mr. Nicholson, who surrendered a \$6,000 position to give all his time to promoting the cause of Christianity among traveling men, is the national president. He will attend the meeting and deliver two addresses. Many attractive speakers will be present, and a program of great interest has been prepared for the meeting. All the Hopkinsville pastors have tendered the use of the churches and Sunday, January 8, the pulpits will be occupied by Gideons.

The program is quite lengthy, and men from all over the state are on it. The Paducahans who are down to take part are Mr. Harry Lukens, who will read scripture at the Baptist church, and Mr. Herman Graham, who will do likewise at the First Presbyterian.

Kentucky has many flourishing camps, and the order is said to be growing rapidly.

GOT REPRIEVE

ELI BUGG WILL NOT BE HANGED AT MOUND CITY TOMORROW.

Gov. Yates Will Allow the Board of Pardons to First Pass on the Case.

Eli Bugg will not hang at Mound City, Ill., tomorrow. After the authorities had refused to interfere, the scaffold had been borrowed at Cairo and the stockade about the jail yard built, Governor Yates announced that he would grant a reprieve until January 10th. This means that Bugg has nearly a month longer to live, as he is not granted a commutation of sentence. He killed another negro near Mound City several months ago.

Attorney Pete Seay, of Mayfield, is in the city.

Attorney George Oliver has gone to Waverly, Tenn., to attend court.

Mrs. Mary Mathis and daughters returned Saturday from a visit to Paducah.—Murray Times.

Mrs. Jim Watson, of Clements St., is sick of the grippe.

Mrs. Bertie Maud Berryman, who is ill, is improving at her home on Farley street.

Rev. and Mrs. J. E. Ramseyer, of Fort Wayne, Ind., are guests of Dr. and Mrs. V. O. Sweatman, of Madison street. Mrs. Ramseyer was Miss Maisie Garth, who formerly lived in Paducah and has many friends here.

Mrs. Charles Legg and children, of Mayfield, returned home today after visiting Mrs. Alben Barkley.

Mrs. Mary Givens and daughter, of Uniontown, Ky., are visiting Mr. Peter Givens.

Mr. Lee Wilson, of San Antonio, is visiting the family of Captain W. H. Patterson, of Jefferson street.

Mr. Sydne Loeb has returned from the west.

Mr. Ike Friedman has returned from two months' southern drumming trip.

Deputy County Clerk Hiram Smedley was able to come to the office this afternoon. His friends will be pleased to learn of his recovery.

Mr. John Ford, the I. C. blacksmith, is on the sick list.

Mr. Charles Alcott is suffering from tonsillitis.

Mrs. Mary Mills, of South Eighth street, is ill of consumption and in a precarious condition.

Master Miller Bonnin, grandson of Mr. Joe Willer, has about recovered after an attack of appendicitis.

Mr. Will Gholson, of Broad street, who is precariously ill of brain trouble, is reported no better, his many friends will regret to learn.

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WANTED—Experienced lady book keeper. East Tennessee Telephone company.

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In our handkerchief department special girls to do nothing else but show.

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Water mink, Sable and Angora fur sets for children for \$2.50 and \$4.50.

Ladies' suits worth \$20 and \$25 reduced to \$10.

Why not a nice dress for Xmas; something acceptable to mother, daughter or child.

Children's school umbrellas. Please the little ones and parents too, Xmas.

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"Attention! Attention!" he cried, unfolding a paper, and presently commenced to read his news to the crowd: "By permission of the Right Hon. Earl of Dunmore, governor of Virginia. Four days' sport on Roanoke plain. The Colonial club offering prizes of \$100 and \$50; the Richmond club offering two purses of \$50. Attention! Sport on the Roanoke, an even and delightsome plain, most sweet and pleasant. Today the Nobleman's and Gentleman's purse of \$50, free for any horse except Dr. Connolly's Schmitar, who won the plate last season. Second, a silver cup worth \$12. Tuesday, County Subscription purse of \$50. 'God save the king!'

I turned back into the room and began my toilet. How strange to find this town, undisturbed in its rural pleasures, busy about its own affairs, while scarce a night's journey to the north the frontier was in ashes and the dead lay in the charred embers of their own dwellings!

How strange to look out on the peace of these sunny streets, with the cinders of Cresap's camp still clinging to my hunting shirt, with my own blood caking the sore on my arm where a Cayuga child had thrust a lighted pine splinter into my flesh! Strange—aye, astonishing—that these people here behind their fortress, their blockhouses, their earthworks and stockades, should forget those who dwelt beyond the gates, wrestling the dark soil inch by inch from the giant pines of the wilderness!

Somber thoughts filled me. I had a hard role to play before Lord Dunmore. I had a harder role to act before Silver Heels if she were still here in Pittsburg.

I gave me no pleasure to find myself so near her. The attitude she had assumed toward me that last night in Johnstown had hurt enough to leave a scar. But when scars appear wounds are healed, and so was mine. It was true, I had never loved her as men love sweethearts. Her sudden and amazing appearance as a woman had aroused my curiosity, her popularity and beauty my jealousy. It was hurt pride that tempered me when the playfellow I had tolerated and protected and tormented at my pleasure torment-ed and finally ignored me.

I did not love her when I aroused her contempt with my courtship of Mrs. Hamilton. I did not love her when I followed her to the pantry to bully her into according me her respect once more. It was vanity—vanity when I sulked because young Bevan took her from me; vanity when I assailed the pretty ears of Mrs. Hamilton with callow cynicism and foolish wit. I scolded myself for having deceived my own heart with the fancy that I had ever loved my cousin Silver Heels.

Now that the demon Butler had been exorcised by Sir William, and now that Sir William wished for my union with Silver Heels and had promised me the means to maintain her as her rank required, I understood plainly that I did not love her in that way. She was only my playfellow; she had never been anything else. I meant to see her and tell her so; I meant to ask her forgiveness for offending her; I meant to seek her friendly confidence once more, to warn her that she should not tarry here in these troublous times, but return at once to Johnson Hall, where Sir William could protect her not only from the savages, but also from that creature whose every breath of life was an offense to his Creator.

Doubtless Silver Heels would go with me. Dunmore would be obliged to provide our escort. Indeed, his lordship would be glad enough to see me leave his town of Pittsburg ere I had finished with my business here.

I had laid my hand on the knob, intent on seeking breakfast below, and was about to open the door when somebody knocked. It was Saul Shemuel, smiling and folding his hands over his belly—a greasy spectacle, in sooth, for a hungry stomach—and I scolded and bade him state his business quickly in the devil's name.

"Good day and greeting, sir," said the peddler, bowing and rubbing himself against the door like a cat. "Gott save our country, Mr. Cardigan. You are expected to join the gentlemen in 13, sir. Mr. Mount begs you will hold no conversation with strangers hereabouts nor entertain no one until he sees you, sir."

"Very well," I said.

"Miss Warren is here in Pittsburg, sir," he ventured.

"I supposed so," I said coldly, "but that does not interest me."

"Maybe," he said spitefully, "you don't know somethings?"

"What things?"

"Miss Warren weds mit Lord Dunmore in July."

He was gone like a slippery lizard before I could seize him. He vanished



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way, resolving to seek out my lady Silver Heels without loss of time or ceremony and conduct her back to the nursery where the little foot belonged.

Countess, indeed! I'd bring her to see me! and wait! Only wait on Sir William should learn of this!

Somewhat comforted at the thought of the baronet's anger and dismay, I pocketed my excitement and began to search for the door of room 13, where, according to Shemuel, I was expected. I had forgotten the peddler's directions; besides, the house was unexplored ground for me, and I wandered about several corridors until I noticed a pleasant faced gentleman watching me from the stairs.

He doubtless noticed my perplexity, for he bowed very courteously on short acquaintance. Shemuel's warning to him to follow her to the pantry and conduct her back to Johnstown with me.

"You must stick by me now, Jack Mount," I said, "for the Lord knows what trouble lies before me ere I shake the Pittsburg dust off my moccasins."

After a moment Mount said: "I suppose you don't know Butler is in attendance on Dunmore, lad. Shemuel told me last night."

"Very well," said I, smacking my lips. "I will kill him before he leaves Pittsburg."

I drew Mount and Renard aside and asked them where Miss Warren was staying. They did not know.

"We'll make a tour of the town and find Shemuel; he knows," suggested Mount.

abroad together."

"Why did they arrest Cresap?" I asked.

"Why? Oh, Lord, the town is full o' people blaming Dunmore for this new war. There was like to be a riot yesterday when one of Cresap's runners came in with news of the rising. So Dunmore, frightened, called in Connolly and Murdy, and they went about town swearing that Dunmore was innocent and that the wicked Cresap did it all. And now Connolly has had Cresap arrested, and he swears that Dunmore will make an example of Cresap for oppressing the poor Indians. There's your Tory governor for you!"

Horrified at such hypocrisy, I could only gasp while Mount shrugged his broad shoulders and went on:

"But this rattlesnake Dunmore has bitten off more than he can poison. Logan's here to demand justice on Greathouse. And now you are here to protest in Sir William's name. Oh, it's a fine pickle Dunmore will find himself swimming in!"

"When is Logan to have an audience with Dunmore?" I asked.

"Tonight in the fortress. And, Mr. Cardigan, I took the liberty of announcing to the governor's secretary, Gibson, that an envoy from Sir William Johnson had arrived with a message for Lord Dunmore."

"But," said I, puzzled, "does Dunmore expect a messenger from Sir William?"

"Haven't you heard from Shemuel?" asked Mount. "I told him to tell you that Dunmore wants to marry the beautiful Miss Warren, who's cutting such a swath here. He sent his offer by runner to Sir William, and, being a Tory, an earl and governor of Virginia, he naturally expects Sir William will broach the poor girl at his head."

"Mark you, Mount," I said, choking back my passion, "this night my Lord Dunmore will learn some things of which he is ignorant. One of them is that my kinswoman, Miss Warren, is betrothed to me!"

I did not love Silver Heels. I did not want to wed her. But something had to be done, and that quickly, if I was to take the silly, deluded girl back to Johnstown with me.

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The time-worn injunction, "Never put off 'till tomorrow what you can do today," is now generally presented in this form: "Do it today!" That is the terse advice we want to give you about that hacking cough or demoralizing cold with which you have been struggling for several days, perhaps weeks.

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"Is Dr. Connolly Dunmore's agent?" I asked quietly. "Then he's here in the house now."

"I know it," said Mount. "He and his fawning agent, Murdy, are watching the inn to learn who is here. By the way, my name is anything you please if they ask you. It won't do for the Weasel and me to flaunt our quality in Pittsburg town. There was once a fat Tory judge walking yonder on the highway, and—well, you know, moonlight and mischief are often

TO FIND HUSBANDS.

Some Quaint Customs of the Young Women of Russia.

Russian girls frequently amuse themselves by attempting to discover what sort of husbands will eventually lead them to the altar. A favorite manner of doing this is by so called divination.

The girl who is tired of a single life sits in the mystic hours of the night between two large mirrors. On each side she places a candle and then eagerly watches until she can see twelve reflected lights. If the fates are propitious she ought also to discern the husband she desires portrayed in the glass before her.

Another method of divination is to have supper laid for two. If the young lady is in luck the apparition of the future husband will come and sit down beside her, but in order to secure success the girl must not divulge to any one her intention of thus attempting to dive into futurity.

There is a story told to the effect that the daughter of a rich farmer was in love with a young Lieutenant, and he, suspecting that she would probably have supper laid for two, climbed the wall of the garden and, sitting down by her side, partook of the prepared banquet, the girl being under the impression that it was his apparition and not the real simon pure.

On leaving the room the officer forgot his sword, which he had unbuttoned before he sat down to supper. The girl, finding the weapon after his departure, hid it in the cupboard as a memento of the visitor.

Eventually she married another seeker, and he, fancying that there was some rival who supplanted him in his wife's affection and one day discovering the sword, was confirmed in his suspicions and killed her in a fit of passion.

Sometimes the inquisitive husband will take a candle, and, melting the wax, pour it on the snow, after which she strives to discern in the hardened substance the likeness of him she seeks.

A very favorite amusement when several girls are congregated under the same roof is to divine by the aid of a cock. Each girl, taking some corn, makes a small heap on the floor and there conceals a ring. The chanticleer is then introduced and is let loose beside the corn. Presently he begins to peck at the heaps of grain. At last one of the rings is exposed to view, when its owner, according to the popular belief, will outwit her companions in the race for matrimony.—Cassell's Journal.

The Psychology of Vanity.

A French scientist, M. Camille Mulinard, discusses in *La Revue* (Paris) the psychological aspects of vanity, which, he declares, is the desire for praise become all powerful. Vanity in the beginning, he declares, is more a caprice than a vice, but vices may arise out of it. He discusses vanity of dress, of manners and of intellect. To prevent the development of vanity, he says, we should begin very early with the child. In fact, it is we who make the child vain by the misuse of praise, comparisons with companions, too much admiration; also by railing, which may cause the child much suffering and teach him to fear criticism. There is too much appeal to amour propre, and there are too many competitions and prizes which may stimulate energy, but require very prudent use. It would be better to compare the scholar with himself. To work to be the first need not be bad, but to work for the joy of working and learning is much better and less exciting. Finally, let us remember that the advantages we boast of have little value in themselves; all depends on the use we make of them. The only quality of which we can never be vain is justice.

Finn met Land, Gerard and other ball players who are wintering here, and with Lloyd had a long talk over the prospects of the game this season. Finn thinks it will be even more popular than last season and says the outlook is bright.

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J. W. Russell, county court clerk of Hickman county, Tenn., writes:

"My wife has used several bottles of Emulso-Hypo with Iron and has been wonderfully improved. I can conscientiously recommend it for all lung trouble."

Rev. G. T. Sullivan, presiding elder of the Memphis district, writes under date of Dec. 1, 1903:

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RIVER OUTLOOK IS STILL GLOOMY

Preparations Being Made for Resumption of Navigation.

It Is Not Yet Certain That There Will Be a Boating Stage, However—Danger of Freeze.

RIVER MEN LOSING \$8,750 A DAY

The river here today is three feet, a rise of one-tenth last night. This is not as much as the river men would like to see it, but it is better than if the streams were falling or on a stand.

After all, river men are not over-confident of the early resumption of navigation, because of reports from above. As they all know, it will take a world of water to put the Ohio where it is wanted, and where it is to come from at this season of the year has not yet become evident.

The present condition of the Ohio river is leading river men to worry over the possibility that the river may close with heavy ice for the winter before the large packets and tow-boats get into operation. There's plenty of business waiting for the through boats, and the towboatmen hoped they would get out with tons of coal before the winter freeze came. The prospects look gloomy at present at present.

The Monongahela River Coal Co. has ordered all its men to report to their boats at once. Captains, mates, engineers and firemen started for various points along the river between Pittsburgh and Cincinnati. The coal company believes that a boating stage is near and is getting its men ready and on board the boats so they will be ready for any eventuality. The men have been relieved from duty for several months, and during this time only a watchman or two have occupied quarters on the boats.

The Pittsburgh Leader says: "It was predicted yesterday that unless a rise should come soon in the Monongahela river navigation would be tied up until spring. The water is so low now in the upper pools of the Monongahela river that it will freeze more easily the entire width of the river than it would if the river were higher. If the upper pools once freeze over rivermen, despite of getting through to Monongahela by going through to Morgantown before spring, for if the ice does not melt the navigation channel will be in such a shape as to render the river traffic costly and dangerous."

"Roughly estimated from figures obtained from a reliable source, the men who obtain their livelihood by work on the rivers are losing \$8,750 per day during the present period of low water. Including captains, pilots, engineers, deckhands, and roustabouts, there are approximately 2,500 men employed on the rivers during the boating season. Not including the salaries of high-paid officials, these men make from \$2 to \$5 per day, or an average of \$3.50 each. On this basis the loss per day of \$8,750 is figured."

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A Called Meeting of the Board Tomorrow Night to Prepare a Report For the Year.

LIST OF NEW BOOKS ARRANGED.

There will be a called meeting of the Carnegie library board tomorrow night for the purpose of allowing accounts and preparing to close up the business for the year.

The library is being patronized liberally now, and many hundreds of books are taken out weekly. The juveniles are reading a great deal and the library is perhaps as often frequented as the postoffice.

The purchasing committee of the board is at work preparing a list of new books to purchase the first of the year. There will be a list of about 600 volumes to buy and the cost will be about \$800. This will be the first purchased since the library opened.

"We take great pride in our library," a member of the board said, "and are glad that it is so liberally patronized. Some people predicted that the library would be an unnecessary expense on the city to be patronized by but few interested in literature, but we find that this is erroneous and that instead of being simply a means of putting literature into the hands of readers, it is making readers. You would be surprised to see how many people who have been light readers, come to the library for books. They just cannot get enough reading and the library will never be a burden on the hands of the city because of the lack of patronage."

The committee will likely submit the list of books already selected for approval and complete the arrangement of the list tomorrow night, although this matter is left entirely in the committee's hands.

PAY TRAIN

Will Arrive in Paducah Tomorrow From Louisville Division.

The I. C. pay car will arrive tomorrow from the Louisville division and all hands will be paid off. The merchants, as usual, will remain open to accommodate the trade. The majority of the down town stores are open at night now for the holiday trade, and will not be inconvenienced by the arrival of the pay car. This will bring the railroad trade far enough ahead of the holidays for the merchants to handle it successfully.

ROCKEFELLER'S GIFT.

Chicago, Ill., Dec. 15.—John D. Rockefeller has given between \$2,000 and \$3,000,000 as Christmas gift to the University of Chicago. This report was today declared to be true by a member of the advisory committee of the Baptist theological union. The money, it is understood, is to be used for the creation of a school of engineering. President Harter returned today from New York, where he met Mr. Rockefeller.

EMMET W. BAGBY,
Referee in Bankruptcy.
Paducah, Ky., Dec. 14, 1904.

SHOW COMPANIES HAVING HARD LUCK

Hopkinsville Seems to be a Sort of a Graveyard for Them.

Harry Ward's Minstrel Stranded After Leaving Here a Few Days Ago.

WARD HIMSELF IS DISABLED

Harry Ward's minstrel has disbanded. Harry has been playing in tough luck of late. He has been laid up from an operation for appendicitis, and his wife has been running the show. Ward is well known in Paducah, and very popular here. He came to Paducah regularly until last season, first with other companies, being known as "the next president of minstrelsy," and later with his own show. He is a prominent Elk, and has several times been entertained at Paducah lodge.

The Hopkinsville New Era says:

"This region is becoming a theatrical grave yard. Several dramatic companies have gone to pieces and the season is yet young. Scott's minstrels 'busted' shortly after playing here, and the Howard Stock company disbanded at Clarksville. Bert Marshall's comedians (?) broke up here, and now Ward's Minstrel troupe, which appeared at the opera house one night last week, is stranded in Evansville. The Evansville Courier says:

"Ward & Wade's minstrel show, which played to good houses at the People's yesterday, paid off its musicians, acrobats, and singers after the performance last night and disbanded. Most of the members of the company had three weeks' back pay coming to them, and were 'broke.' They received their dismissal and \$4.75 each.

"Several of the players claimed that railroad discrimination against hauling their car during the last three weeks' tour through Alabama and Tennessee, had caused the management to cut many of their best towns and to make long and unprofitable jumps. Up to three weeks ago it was said the show had been making money.

"Wade, who was originally a partner with Ward in the company, withdrew last year and is now with the Primrose & West show in California. Mr. Ward's wife has been running the show this fall and has all the scenery, cars and equipment in her name. None of the players know whether they are under contract to Mr. Ward or the defunct Ward & Wade minstrels. Consequently they did not attach the car and its contents last night by legal action. The backer of the show is said to be Mrs. Ward's brother, a banker in Monnett, Mo. It is said that Manager Murphy received a telegram from Mrs. Ward's brother last night to keep the troupe together here until he could get to Evansville and reorganize the company and make new contracts with the players.

"The stranded company contains thirty people. Originally the show carried thirty-five people, but five of the men saw the crash coming and quit last week while the show was playing in Jackson, Tenn. It is hardly possible that Manager Murphy can hold the company together here until Mrs. Ward's brother arrives to straighten out matters, as several of the company announced their intention of leaving for Chicago this morning. Among the members of the stranded company are four very youthful acrobats. These boys received their \$4 apiece along with the remainder of the minstrels."

NOTICE IN BANKRUPTCY.

In the district court of the United States for the Western District of Kentucky, in Bankruptcy.

In the matter of Frederick A. Hartshorn, bankrupt. To creditors of Frederick A. Hartshorn, of Paducah, in the county of McCracken, and district aforesaid, bankrupt: Notice is hereby given that on the 12th day of December, A. D. 1904, the said Frederick A. Hartshorn, was duly adjudicated bankrupt, and that the first meeting of his creditors will be held at my office, in Paducah, McCracken county, Kentucky, on the 24th day of December, A. D. 1904, at 9 o'clock in the forenoon, at which time the said creditors may attend, prove their claim, appoint a trustee, examine the bankrupt and transact such other business as may come properly before said meeting.

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BOARD OF WORKS

WORK ON SECOND STREET ORDERED DEFERRED UNTIL JANUARY FIRST.

Repairs Are Now Being Made on the Sewerage Pumping Station.

The board of works held its regular meeting yesterday afternoon, and authorized Contractors Robertson & Gardner to defer work on Second street between Broadway and Kentucky avenue until after the first of the year, or until spring, if necessary. The storm water sewerage on Kentucky avenue between First and Second was ordered started at once.

The board recommended the construction of a switch from the N. C. & St. L. to the E. L. Mallory Grain establishment near Seventh and Norton streets.

The request of the street railway company for permission to erect a transfer shed at Fourth and Broadway near McPherson's, was refused, as the board thinks it would block the sidewalk, and it has no right to give anyone permission to violate the law. It recommends, however, that the company be given permission

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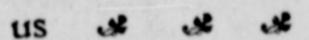
Street Inspector Elliott was instructed to have holes in all streets that need it, repaired.

The board has decided not to make any recommendations relative to the enlargement of the city light plant until after the new members of the board take their seats, as the latter have to pass on the recommendation and it would be a waste of time to

present the matter to the present boards.

Contractor Harry Baldwin reported that the sidewalk reconstruction on Broadway cannot proceed during cold weather.

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Few things suggest themselves as Christmas gifts more appreciable than some handsome article of furniture. One can't have too much.

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